

REMARKS

Claims 1, 2 and 4-8 are currently presented in the Application, and claim 1 is an independent claim. Claims 1, 2 and 4-8 stand allowed. This Amendment is submitted to request cancellation of claims 9, 10, 12-18, and 20-23. Applicants respectfully reserve the right to pursue these canceled claims, and other claims, in one or more continuation and/or divisional patent applications.

Note that the Abstract has also been amended. No new matter has been added as a result of the amendment to the Abstract.

Respectfully submitted,

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